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arithmetic coding of reference picture and motion
vector residual bitstream syntax elements

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RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

**Notice To File Missing Parts Of Non-provisional Application
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Applicant hereby brings to the attention of the Initial Patent Examination Division, enclosed, an IDS of the non-patent literature documents in paper format as the materials contained types of information that cannot be submitted on compact disc to comply with 37 CFR 1.52(e).

It is requested that the information disclosed herein be made of record in the application.

Applicant respectfully submits that the Notice to File Missing Parts was improperly issued because an IDS is not required to attain filing status of a non-provisional patent application. Therefore, Applicant requests that the Notice to File Missing Parts be withdrawn. In the alternative, Applicant submits that the request for missing parts has been met.

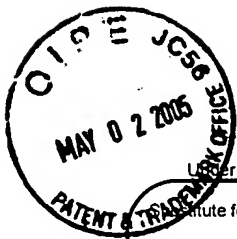
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Respectfully Submitted,

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		THOMAS WIEGAND, Editor's Proposed Draft Text Modification for Joint Video Specification (ITU-T Rec. H.264 ISO/IEC 14496-10 AVC), Draft 7, September 19, 2002	

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